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MARINES IN ACTION ON KOREAN BATTLEFIELDS WITH

"ROCK" MURDOCK

THE FIGHTING GYRENE!!

IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR TWO PEOPLES TO FIGHT AGAINST BIG-FELLA COMMUNIST TANK, AND...
WE'RE MARINES, COMMIE... AND WE ALWAYS DO THE IMPOSSIBLE!
WHILE YOU'RE ENTERTAININ' THEM, ROCK, I'LL SHINNY UP THIS PIG-IRON PIPE AN' STUFF IT WITH RED-HOT DYNAMITE!
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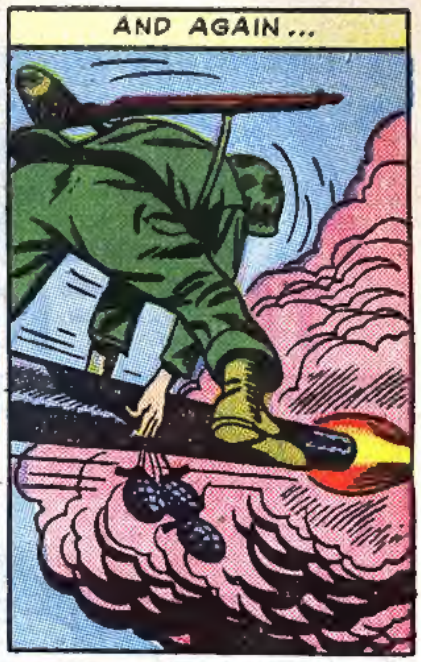
TWO MEN AGAINST A TANK HAVEN'T GOT A CHANCE, UNLESS THOSE TWO MEN HAPPEN TO BE MARINES! AND IF THOSE TWO LEATHERNECKS HAPPEN TO BE SGT. "ROCK" MURDOCK, THE FIGHTING GYRENE AND HIS BUDDY "SCUTTLEBUTT" STACY...THEN IT'S THE TANK THAT HASN'T GOT A CHANCE!
THE RED GUNNER INSIDE THE COMMIE T-34 HEARD SCUTTLEBUTT, AND WAITED UNTIL THE GYRENE WAS HALFWAY UP THE BIG GUN...
HA! NOW I GIVE HIM BIG-BANG SURPRISE!

THE TANK GUN ROARED, AND SCUTTLEBUTT RATTLED FROM HIS HEELS TO HIS HELMET...
GA-GA-GREAT G-G-GIZMO!

BUT THAT FIRST SALVO DIDN'T THROW THE LEATHERNECK OFF THE 86-MM BRONC, SO THE COMMIE GUNNER TRIED AGAIN!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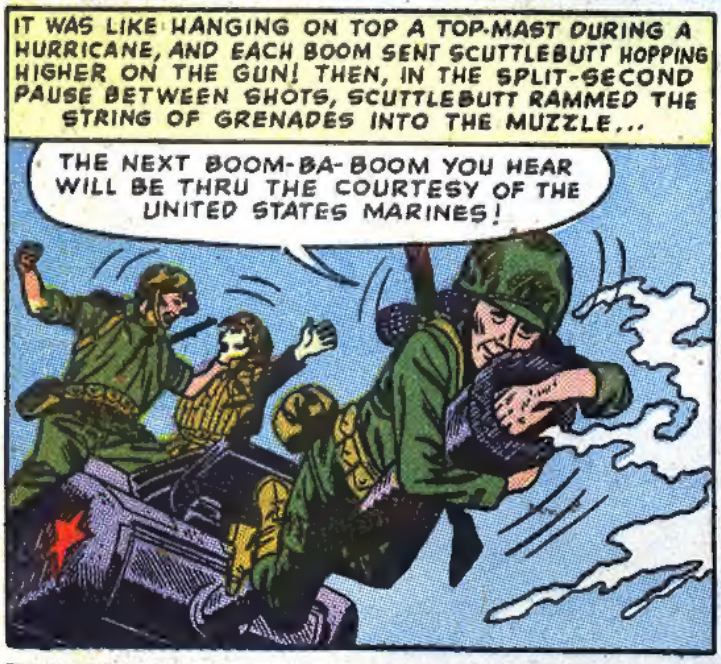
IT WAS LIKE HANGING ON TOP A TOP-MAST DURING A HURRICANE, AND EACH BOOM SENT SCUTTLEBUTT HOPPING HIGHER ON THE GUN! THEN, IN THE SPLIT-SECOND PAUSE BETWEEN SHOTS, SCUTTLEBUTT RAMMED THE STRING OF GRENADES INTO THE MUZZLE...
THE NEXT BOOM-BA-BOOM YOU HEAR WILL BE THRU THE COURTESY OF THE UNITED STATES MARINES!

ALL ASHORE WHO'RE GOING ASHORE, ROCK! I MAILED THE "PACKAGE"!
HEAR THAT, COMMIE? SO OFF YOU GO... BEFORE THAT "PACKAGE" OPENS UP!

BETTER COME OUT BEFORE YOUR TANK GOES BOOM!

LATCH ON TO THE BRANCH ABOVE US, SCUTTLEBUTT... THIS IS WHERE WE GET OFF!

THE COMMIE T-34 CONTINUED TO CRAWL, UNTIL THE GRENADES WHICH SCUTTLEBUTT HAD STUFFED INTO ITS SNOUT WENT OFF!
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AFTER THE BLAST, ROCK AND SCUTTLEBUTT CAME DOWN TO LOOK OVER THE WRECKAGE...
GEE, ROCK! THIS COMMIE CHARIOT MUST'VE BEEN HEADIN' FOR THE WORLD SERIES! LOOK AT THE BASEBALL GLOVES AND BATS IT WAS CARRYIN'!
AYE! AND ALL OF IT IS AMERICAN EQUIPMENT!
AND FOCUS YOUR BLINKERS ON THIS, SCUTTLEBUTT! IT'S THE CANNED FILM OF THE MOVIE WE SAW IN THE REAR AREA LAST WEEK, CALLED "THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS!"
THEN THIS COMMIE TANK MUST HAVE BEEN ON A RAIDIN' SPREE BEHIND OUR LINES, AND THIS IS SOME OF THE STUFF THEY SNATCHED!
HISTORY OF THE U.S. MARINE CORPS
RIGHT, AND... HEY, LISTEN! THERE'S ANOTHER TANK COMING!
LET'S GET BACK INTO OUR TREE AND POUNCE ON THE NEW CUSTOMER WITH A BOOM BUNDLE, JUST LIKE WE DID ON THIS ONE!
CLANK! CLANK!
IN SECONDS, THE TWO GYRENES WERE IN THEIR AMBUSH NEST...
HERE IT COMES, SCUTTLEBUTT! I CAN'T SEE IT, BUT I SURE HEAR IT!
I'M ALL SET TO BOARD SHIP WITH MY LI'L "PACKAGE"!
NOW, SCUTTLEBUTT! ALL ABOARD!
AS ROCK AND SCUTTLEBUTT WERE ON THEIR WAY DOWN, THE TOP OF THE COMMIE TANK SLID OPEN QUICKLY...
WELCOME, YONKEES!
HALLS OF MONTEZUMA! WHAT KIND OF A TANK IS THIS?
VELLY LATEST MODEL! SEES EVERYTHING, BECAUSE IT IS TELEVISION TANK!
HE'S RIGHT! IT'S GOT T.V. CAMERAS INSTEAD OF GUNS!
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THIS SPECIAL TANK HAS THREE TELEVISION CAMERAS TO COVER ALL FORWARD DIRECTIONS! WHAT CAMERA SEES IS IMMEDIATELY SEEN ON SCREENS AT RED ARMY HEADQUARTERS!
AND THAT WAY, YOUR GENERALS KNOW WHERE TO SEND TANKS AND TROOPS!
AH-H-H! NUMBER THREE CAMERA HAS PICKED UP SOMETHING INTERESTING!
IT'S A GYRENE COMPANY!
YES! AND THEY PROCEED TOWARD THE FRONT! SO I PRESS BUTTON AND COMRADE GENERAL AT HEADQUARTERS SEES SAME PICTURE!
THE SCENE WAS IMMEDIATELY RELAYED TO ONE OF THE LARGE T. V. SCREENS IN GENERAL TUANG'S HEADQUARTERS FAR BEHIND THE LINES...
OBSERVE, COMRADE GENERAL! 'MELICAN MARINE COMPANY ADVANCES ON NUMBER THREE SCREEN!
THAT MEANS THEY ARE IN WEST KOREA! QUICK! DISPATCH OUR RESERVE TANKS TO CUT THEM OFF!
NOW YOU GET OUT, AND WE...
NEGATIVE, COMMIE! WE STAY OR WE ALL GO BOOM!
WE NOT WISH TO MEET ANCESTORS SO SOON! WE SURRENDER!
OKAY! GET INTO THAT REAR COMPARTMENT, WHILE WE FIGURE OUT HOW TO STOP THOSE TANKS FROM CUTTING OFF GYRENES!
THIS HOLD IS LOADED WITH T. V. SUPPLIES, ROCK..., TUBES, ANTENNAS, FILM AN' OTHER JUNK!
AYE! AND A MOTION PICTURE PROJECTOR! WITH THAT, WE CAN SAVE THAT MARINE COMPANY FROM THE RED TANK AMBUSH!
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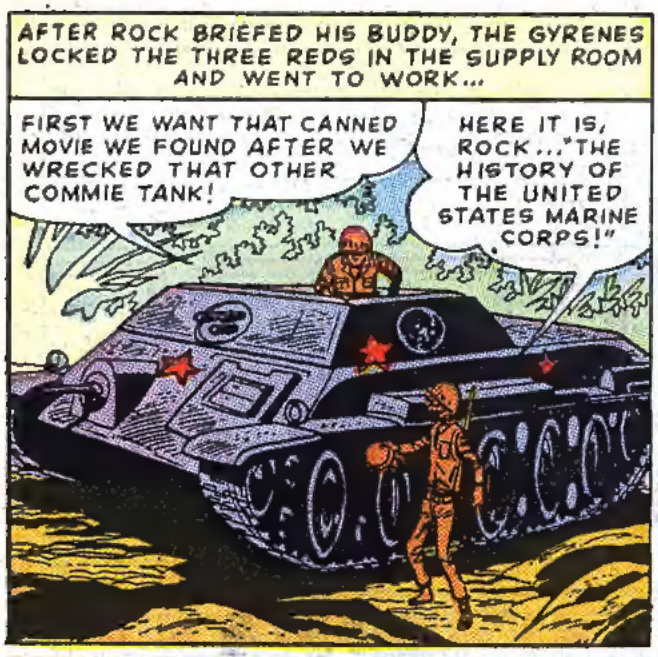
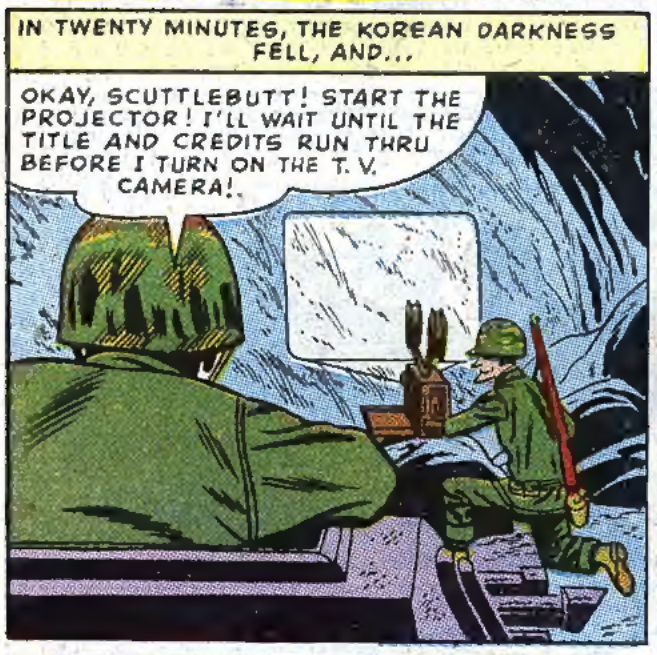

AFTER ROCK BRIEFED HIS BUDDY, THE GYRENES LOCKED THE THREE REDS IN THE SUPPLY ROOM AND WENT TO WORK...
FIRST WE WANT THAT CANNED MOVIE WE FOUND AFTER WE WRECKED THAT OTHER COMMIE TANK!
HERE IT IS, ROCK..."THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS!"

GOOD! NOW WE'LL SET UP THE MOVIE PROJECTOR HERE, SO WE CAN USE THAT CLIFF WALL FOR A SCREEN AND FOCUS THE T. V. CAMERAS ON IT!
AND I'VE GOT THE PROJECTOR PLUGGED INTO THE TANK'S ELECTRICAL CIRCUIT! AS SOON AS IT GETS DARK WE'LL START!


IN TWENTY MINUTES, THE KOREAN DARKNESS FELL, AND...
OKAY, SCUTTLEBUTT! START THE PROJECTOR! I'LL WAIT UNTIL THE TITLE AND CREDITS RUN THRU BEFORE I TURN ON THE T. V. CAMERA!

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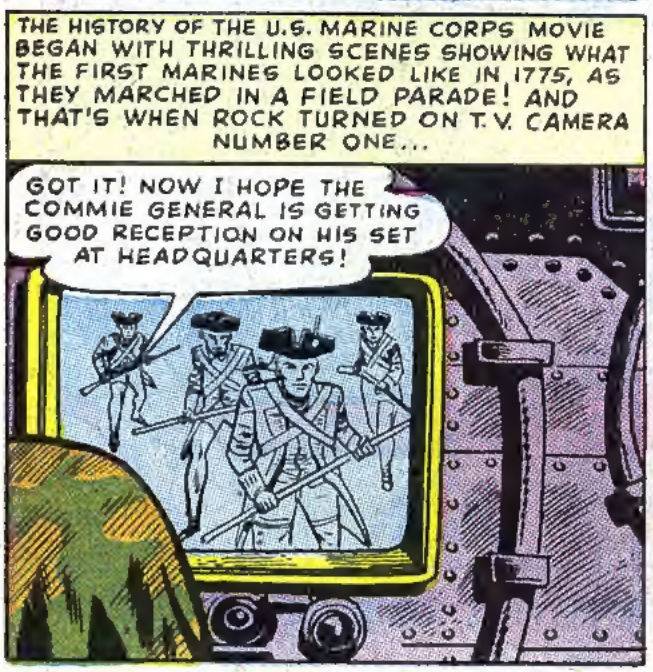
THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS.
GET SET, ROCK! THE ACTION SCENES COME RIGHT AFTER THIS!


THE HISTORY OF THE U.S. MARINE CORPS MOVIE BEGAN WITH THRILLING SCENES SHOWING WHAT THE FIRST MARINES LOOKED LIKE IN 1775, AS THEY MARCHED IN A FIELD PARADE! AND THAT'S WHEN ROCK TURNED ON T.V. CAMERA NUMBER ONE...
GOT IT! NOW I HOPE THE COMMIE GENERAL IS GETTING GOOD RECEPTION ON HIS SET AT HEADQUARTERS!

GENERAL TUANG GOT IT ALL RIGHT!
THAT IS ON THE EASTERN FRONT...BUT WHAT KIND OF ARMY IS THAT?
IT MUST BE ONE OF THE UNITED NATIONS FORCES! WE BETTER SEND TANKS TO CUT THEM OFF!

THEN THE MOVIE SHOWED THE MARINES ADVANCING IN TRIPOLI IN 1804, AND ROCK TURNED CAMERA NUMBER TWO ON THE SCREEN... IMMEDIATELY THE SAME SCENE WAS FLASHED TO THE COMMIE GENERAL'S H.Q....

ANOTHER STRANGE ARMY, COMRADE GENERAL! ON SCREEN NUMBER TWO... THAT MEANS THEY'RE ADVANCING ON THE *CENTRAL* FRONT!

SEND OUT MORE TANKS TO STOP *THEM*, TOO!

SCENES FROM THE FIRST WORLD WAR, SHOWING THE HEROIC CHARGE OF THE MARINES AT BELLEAU WOOD IN 1918 CAME NEXT...

STILL ANOTHER ARMY!

MORE TANKS! WE *MUST* STOP THEM!

THEN CAME ACTUAL MARINE CORPS PICTURES OF THE 28TH REGIMENT, 5TH MARINE DIVISION LANDING ON IWO JIMA ON FEBRUARY 19, 1945...

OBSERVE, COMRADE GENERAL! THE AMERICANS ARE MAKING AN INVASION FROM THE SEA ON OUR EAST COAST!

WE MUST STOP THEM! CANCEL ALL PREVIOUS ORDERS TO OUR TANKS AND DISPATCH THEM TO THE *EAST* COAST TO STOP THE MARINE INVASION!

AND AS ALL RED ARMOR WAS REMOVED FROM ALL FRONTS, TO SPEED TO THE COAST TO HALT AN INVASION WHICH WASN'T THERE, THE U.N. ARMIES BEGAN THE BIGGEST ADVANCE OF THE KOREAN WAR, ALONG THE ENTIRE LINE!

FORWARD! THE REDS MUST'VE RUN OUT OF TANKS... BUT *WE* HAVEN'T! LET'S GO!

AND WHEN REPORTS OF THE U.N. SUCCESSES BEGAN POURING INTO GENERAL TUANG'S H.Q., HE WAS FRANTIC...

...AND OUR TANKS REPORT THAT THERE IS *NO* INVASION FROM THE SEA!

THEY ARE LIARS! THE PROOF IS THERE ON THE TELEVISION SCREENS! LOOK!

YAI-I!!

THE PRECEDING PROGRAM CAME TO YOU THRU THE COURTESY OF SCUTTLEBUTT STACY AND ROCK MURDOCK: *THE FIGHTING MARINES!*

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A TRUE ACTION-PACKED STORY OF WORLD WAR II
THIS IS THE STORY OF MARINE PRIVATE BILL HAYDEN! BUT MORE THAN THAT, IT IS THE STORY OF MARINES AND THEIR CORPS!
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THIS IS A MARINE CORPS BASE IN CALIFORNIA ...
KEEP YOUR HEADS DOWN! THAT'S LIVE AMMO!

AND THIS IS PRIVATE BILL HAYDEN! HE'D ENLISTED IN THE MARINE CORPS THE DAY AFTER PEARL HARBOR, AND NOW WAS UNDERGOING BASIC TRAINING ...
HOW MANY HOURS HAVE WE BEEN GOING THROUGH THIS COURSE?
I LOST COUNT THREE HOURS AGO!

IT WAS TOUGH WORK, THIS PREPARATION FOR A MARINE!
THEY LEARNED THE USE OF ALL WEAPONS ...
... AND THE ART OF SELF-DEFENSE ...
I'M ALL IN! I DON'T THINK I CAN TAKE ANOTHER STEP!
WATCH IT... THE SARGE!
MOVE, HAYDEN! GET THE LEAD OUT!
THEY LEARNED TO LIVE WITH THEIR RIFLE AND KNOW IT LIKE THEY DID THEIR OWN HANDS ...
THERE'S LINT ON THE BARREL, HAYDEN! CLEAN IT FIFTY TIMES, THEN REPORT FOR EXTRA GUARD DUTY! YOU'RE GONNA SLEEP, EAT AND LIVE WITH THAT RIFLE.
AND WHEN THEY WERE NOT WORKING, THEY WERE HIKING AND DRILLING!
CLOSE UP THERE, HAYDEN! CAN'T YOU TAKE IT?
AND JUST WHEN THEY THOUGHT THEY COULDN'T GO ANOTHER STEP...
DOUBLE TIME! PICK 'EM UP AND LAY 'EM DOWN! SHOW THAT YOU'RE MARINES!

WHAT A FOOL I WAS TO JOIN THE MARINES! THEY'RE TRYING TO RUIN US, BEFORE WE EVER GET TO THE FIGHTING FRONT!
SQUAD DISMISSED!
WHEN THEY FINALLY HIT THEIR "SACKS", THEY WERE WEARY YOUNG MEN ...
I HAVEN'T GOT ENOUGH ENERGY LEFT TO LIGHT A CIGARETTE! WHAT'RE THEY TRYING TO PROVE— HOW MUCH A MAN CAN TAKE BEFORE HE KEELS OVER?
QUIT BEEFIN'! WE'RE ALL IN THE SAME BOAT!
I'M GOING TO ASK FOR A TRANSFER TO SOME OTHER OUTFIT— INFANTRY, NAVY, I DON'T CARE WHAT, SO LONG AS IT ISN'T THE MARINES!
BETTER NOT! IT CAN TAKE A LONG TIME FOR A TRANSFER TO GO THROUGH! THE MARINE CORPS DOESN'T LIKE QUITTERS!
WHO YOU CALLING A QUITTER,!?!
HOLD ON TO THAT FIGHT, HAYDEN! YOU'LL NEED IT TO GET THROUGH BASIC, AND WHAT COMES AFTER!
THEN CAME THE NEWS! THE FIRST AMERICAN OFFENSIVE OF WORLD WAR II HAD BEEN LAUNCHED AT GUADALCANAL AND THE MARINE CORPS HAD LED THE ASSAULT ...
WE TOLD 'EM WE'D BE BACK! AND IT WAS THE MARINES WHO GOT BACK FIRST!
DON'T TELL ME YOU GUYS ARE GOING FOR THAT SEMPER FIDELIS STUFF! WELL, NOT ME!
ALL RIGHT, THIS IS IT! GET READY TO MOVE OUT!
THEY EMBARKED IN A HUGE, GRAY TROOPSHIP AND SAILED TO AUSTRALIA ...
THEY EVEN KEEP US DRILLING ON BOARD! TAKING DOWN RIFLES, PUTTING THEM TOGETHER AGAIN ...
WONDER WHAT AUSTRALIA IS LIKE?
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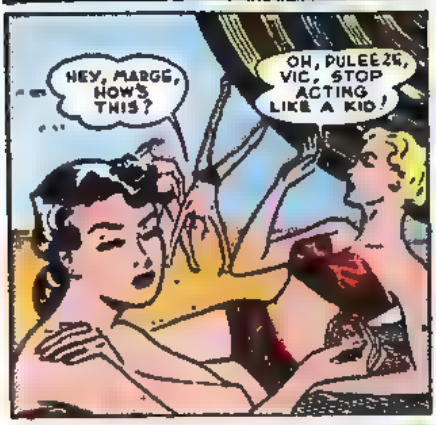
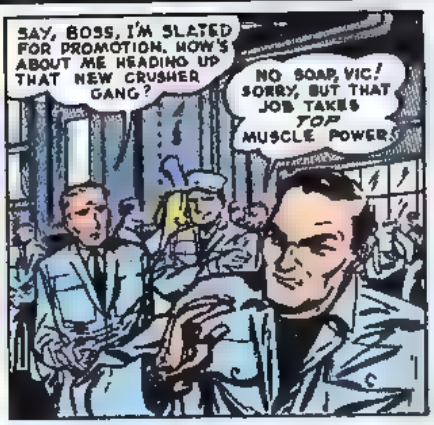
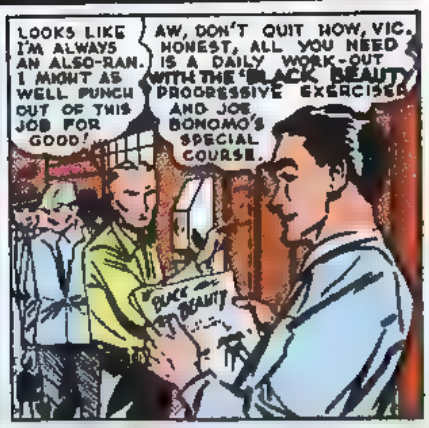
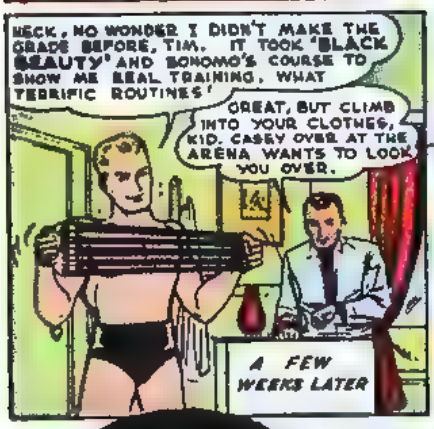
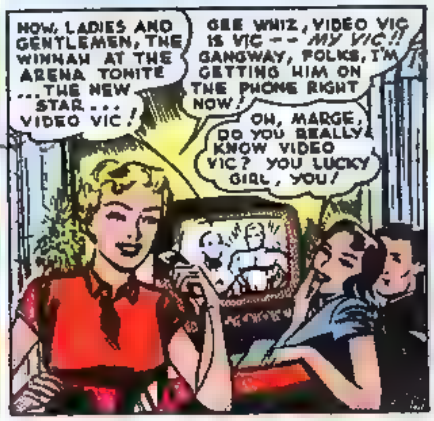



SAY, BOSS, I'M SLATED FOR PROMOTION. HOW'S ABOUT ME HEADING UP THAT NEW CRUSHER GANG?
NO SOAP, VIC! SORRY, BUT THAT JOB TAKES TOP MUSCLE POWER!


LOOKS LIKE I'M ALWAYS AN ALSO-RAN. I MIGHT AS WELL PUNCH OUT OF THIS JOB FOR GOOD!
AW, DON'T QUIT NOW, VIC. HONEST, ALL YOU NEED IS A DAILY WORK-OUT WITH THE 'BLACK BEAUTY' PROGRESSIVE EXERCISER AND JOE BONOMO'S SPECIAL COURSE.
BLACK BEAUTY


HECK, NO WONDER I DIDN'T MAKE THE GRADE BEFORE, TIM. IT TOOK 'BLACK BEAUTY' AND BONOMO'S COURSE TO SHOW ME REAL TRAINING, WHAT TERRIFIC ROUTINES!
GREAT, BUT CLIMB INTO YOUR CLOTHES, KID. CASEY OVER AT THE ARENA WANTS TO LOOK YOU OVER.
A FEW WEEKS LATER


NOW, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, THE WINNAH AT THE ARENA TONITE ... THE NEW STAR ... VIDEO VIC!
GEE WHIZ, VIDEO VIC IS VIC -- MY VIC!! GANGWAY, FOLKS, I'M GETTING HIM ON THE PHONE RIGHT NOW!
OH, MARGE, DO YOU REALLY KNOW VIDEO VIC? YOU LUCKY GIRL, YOU!

I'M PROUD TO KNOW YOU, VIDEO VIC. MY WIFE AND I SAW YOU WIN LAST NIGHT. I'VE GOT BIG PLANS FOR YOU HERE.
SURE, VIC, THAT CRUSHER JOB IS YOURS IF YOU STILL WANT IT.
THANKS MR. BURKE -- OKAY MORAN, I KNOW I CAN LICK ANY JOB NOW!

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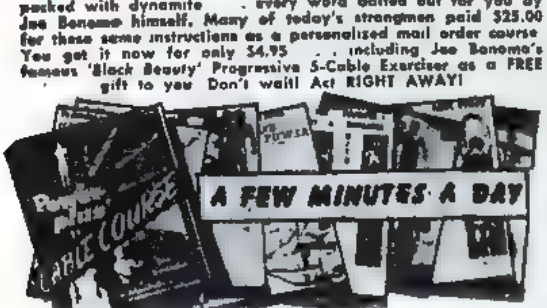

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THEN CAME HOURS OF TRAINING, IN CLAMBERING DOWN NETS IN FULL PACK, TO LANDING CRAFT BELOW...

HAYDEN, GET A MOVE ON! IF THERE WERE JAP SNIPERS ON SHORE, YOU'D BE A PERFECT TARGET!

I'M TANGLED IN THIS NET!

PRESENTLY THEY SAILED AWAY, HEADING FOR BETIO! BETIO, TARAWA, GILBERT ISLANDS... NAMES THAT MOST OF THEM HAD NEVER HEARD BEFORE! THEY WENT OVER THE SIDE INTO THE LANDING BARGES, THE TRAINING THEY HAD ABSORBED STANDING THEM IN GOOD STEAD NOW!

THEY HIT THE BEACH...

GET BEHIND THOSE CORAL OUTCROPPINGS AND THE TREE FRINGE! MOVE!

TO BILL HAYDEN, THE GUNFIRE OF THE JAPS WAS NO DIFFERENT THAN THAT OF THE MACHINE GUN OVER HIS HEAD ON THE INFILTRATION COURSE AT BASE CAMP...

SERGEANT COOTES, TAKE A PATROL OUT AND SEE IF YOU CAN LOCATE THOSE MACHINE GUNS THEY'VE GOT TRAINED ON THE BEACH! SCOUT AROUND AND SEE HOW THEY'RE DISPERSED! REPORT BY WALKIE-TALKIE!

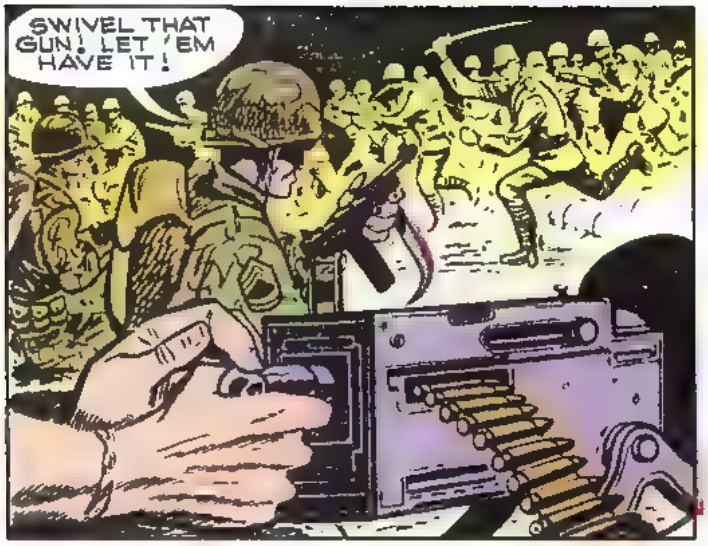
RIGHT, CAPTAIN! YOU MEN, FOLLOW ME!

BILL HAYDEN WAS WITH THE PATROL THAT MOVED INTO THE NIGHT...

QUIET NOW! LET'S SHOW THESE JAPS THAT THE MARINES HAVE LANDED!

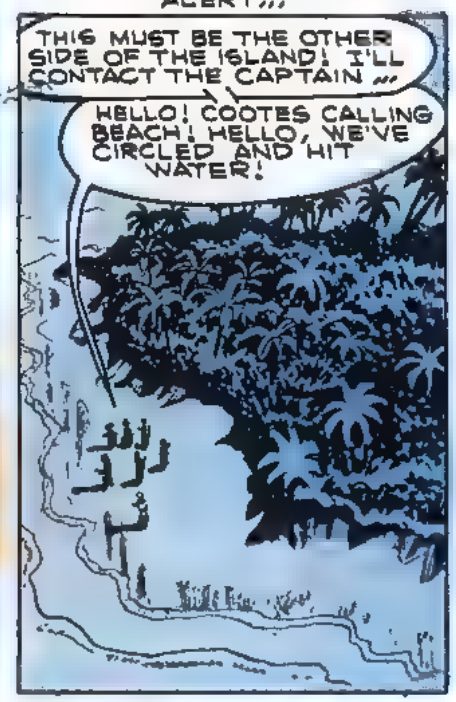
THERE'S ONE OF THEM! LET'S TAKE IT!

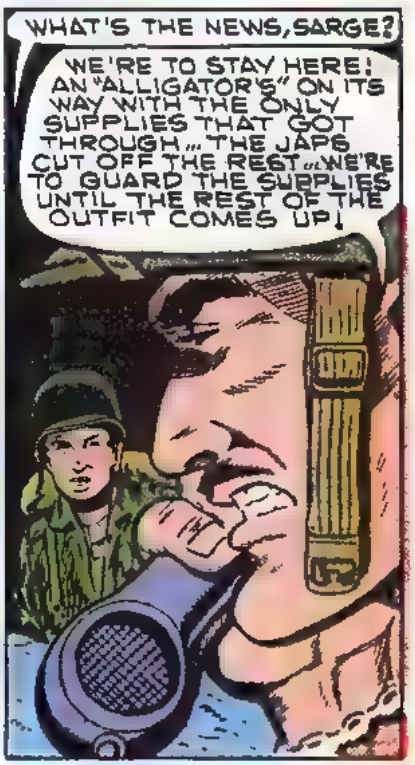
THEY WORKED LIKE ONE MAN, EVERY MAN KNOWING EXACTLY WHAT TO DO!



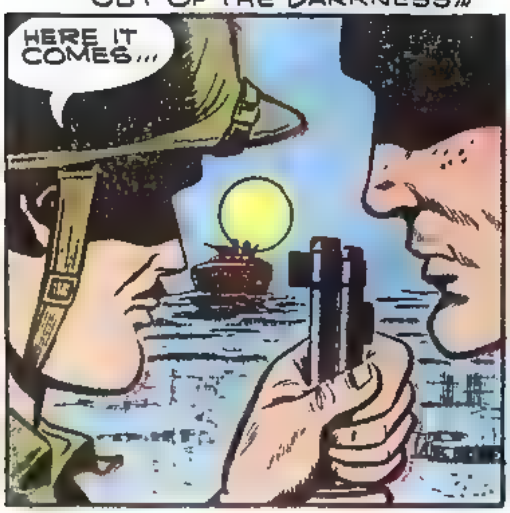
HAYDEN THOUGHT HOW LUCKY IT WAS THEY HAD BEEN TRAINED TO USE *EVERY* KIND OF FIGHTING EQUIPMENT! NOW THEY MADE GOOD USE OF THE JAPS' OWN GUN!

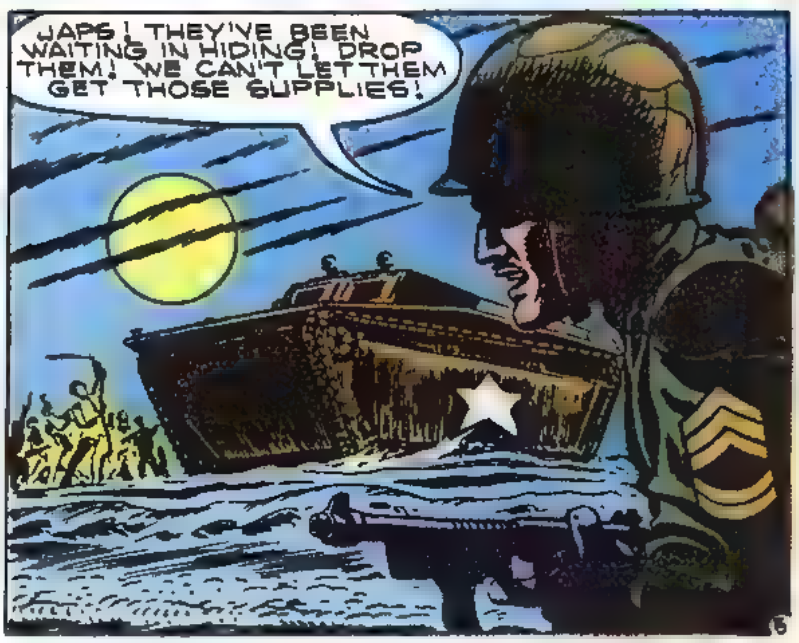
THEY CIRCLED THROUGH THE NIGHT, EVERY TRAINED SENSE ALERT...


THIS MUST BE THE OTHER SIDE OF THE ISLAND! I'LL CONTACT THE CAPTAIN ...
HELLO! COOTES CALLING BEACH! HELLO, WE'VE CIRCLED AND HIT WATER!


WHAT'S THE NEWS, SARGE?
WE'RE TO STAY HERE! AN "ALLIGATOR'S" ON ITS WAY WITH THE ONLY SUPPLIES THAT GOT THROUGH... THE JAPS CUT OFF THE REST... WE'RE TO GUARD THE SUPPLIES UNTIL THE REST OF THE OUTFIT COMES UP!

THEY WAITED IN THE DARK! AN HOUR... TWO HOURS... A LONG NIGHT STRETCHED BEFORE THEM! THEN THE 'ALLIGATOR" MOVED TOWARD THE BEACH OUT OF THE DARKNESS...





WE CAN'T LET THE SUPPLIES STAY OUT THERE! GRENADES, MEN! STEIN, COVER US WITH THE MACHINE GUN! WE'VE GOT TO GO OUT THERE AND GET THOSE SUPPLIES!

THEY MOVED SLOWLY WITH THE "ALLIGATOR"... TARGETS IN THE OPEN! THEN THE JAPS ATTACKED... A HUGE FORCE ...

I'M BEGINNING TO UNDERSTAND THINGS NOW! I'D REALLY BE IN TROUBLE, IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR THE TRAINING I HAD! NEVER COULD HAVE MADE IT, IF I HADN'T BEEN TOUGHENED BEFORE BY THAT TRAINING!

THEN THERE WAS A ROAR, AND OUT OF THE BRUSH CAME MORE MARINES...

TAKE AS MANY MEN AS YOU CAN, MEN... OTHERWISE THEY'LL BE AROUND TO FIGHT ANOTHER DAY! NICE WORK, HAYDEN! I KNEW I'D MAKE A MARINE OUT OF YOU!
LOOKS LIKE YOUR TRAINING IS REALLY PAYING OFF NOW, SARGE!

WHEN THE SKIRMISH WAS OVER...

WE MOVE UP AGAIN, MEN! LET'S GO!
WHY THE BRIGHT SMILE, HAYDEN?
JUST THINKING HOW LUCKY I AM TO BE A MARINE, SARGE!
YEAH... I'M LUCKY... AND MIGHTY PROUD, TOO!

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CREIGHTON carried an official chit from the last British headquarters to which he had been attached. On the chit was the date: August 10th, 1944. That had been two weeks before. In the meantime, the limited Allied offensive against the Japanese had surged ahead, stopped, started again and then stopped. In the dark of night, during a Japanese counter-attack, he had been separated from his unit. The next morning, he'd bumped into the two Americans.

The Americans, likewise had become separated from their own units, in this case smaller ones than the British. Creighton was a three-pip man, an officer. Hagen was an American NCO. Blayne was a private, first class.

Between them they had six bullets, a broken burp gun and an American flag which Blayne's sister had sent him six months before. The flag was a souvenir, made of silk, about two feet long. The trek before them was much longer, something like three hundred miles through a completely trackless forest, mainly pine and larch. At the end of the three hundred miles was the only definite Allied base they knew of. In the meantime, Allied headquarters itself had shifted. And behind them, they knew, despite the offensive, were thousands of Japanese in bands, wandering through the forest, armed, provisioned and fanatical enough to hold out for years, if necessary.

At noon of the third day after they'd met, they stopped to rest and eat. Emergency rations had given out long ago.

Blayne looked around as he got up from the small spring at which he'd been drinking.

"You got any food left, Sarge?" he asked Hagen.

Hagen shook his head.

Creighton laughed.

"I wouldn't worry about that," he said. "We'll find food."

Hagen also looked around, dubiously, but managed to smile.

"The books say that when you're lost, eat off the country."

The British officer nodded.

"That's right. It won't be regular fare, but it'll keep us alive."

Blayne smiled.

"You British have had a lot more experience than we have, sir," he said. "Like in Africa. I heard that you can live off the fat of the land in Africa if you eat fried grubs. I hope, sir, you weren't thinking of . . ."

"Of course not," Creighton said heartily. "You chaps wait here a minute. I've served in this area for years before the war. I'll get you a few delicacies."

He turned and disappeared again into the depths of the forest.

About ten minutes later he came back, his pockets loaded with food.

"Roots, tubers, bark, and berries," he said cheerfully, passing them around. "Remember what they look like before you eat them. And chew the bark . . . it's almost as sweet as candy. We'll get through, gentlemen."

"Maybe if we had something to boil these roots in . . ." Hagen said tentatively.

Creighton shook his head.

"That's the one thing we *can't* do. No fire. In fact, I'm going to ask you for your matches." He waited until they handed them over. "Wouldn't be much use anyway," he said ruefully. "No tobacco. But no fire, in any case. We just don't know where a roving Jap band may be. For all we know, they might be only a thousand feet away. They can spot smoke as easily as we could."

"Then we can't use smoke signals to signal our own planes so they could send a 'copter," Hagen said.

"That's right," Creighton said. "Somehow we've got to signal them. But we can't use smoke. We have no way at all that I know of to attract attention from the ground. There are only a few breaks in the forest . . . it's practically continuous to the Base."

"That means we just have to keep on going, keep on walking."

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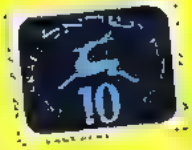

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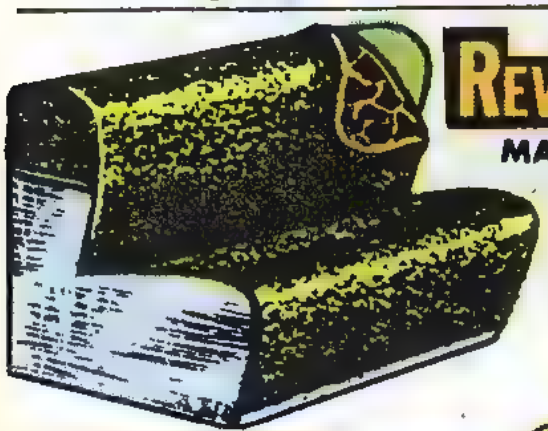

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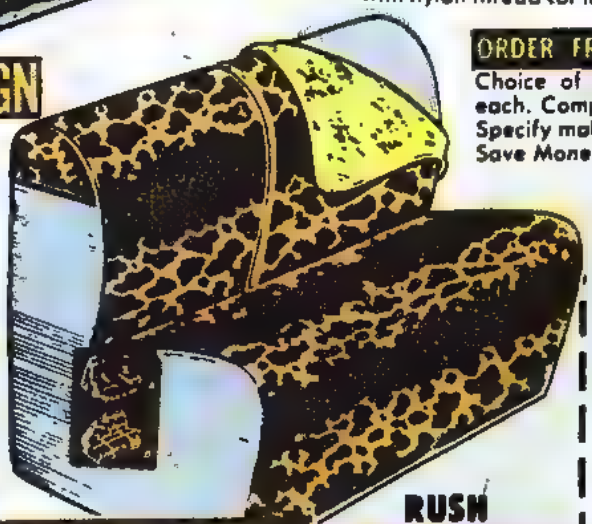

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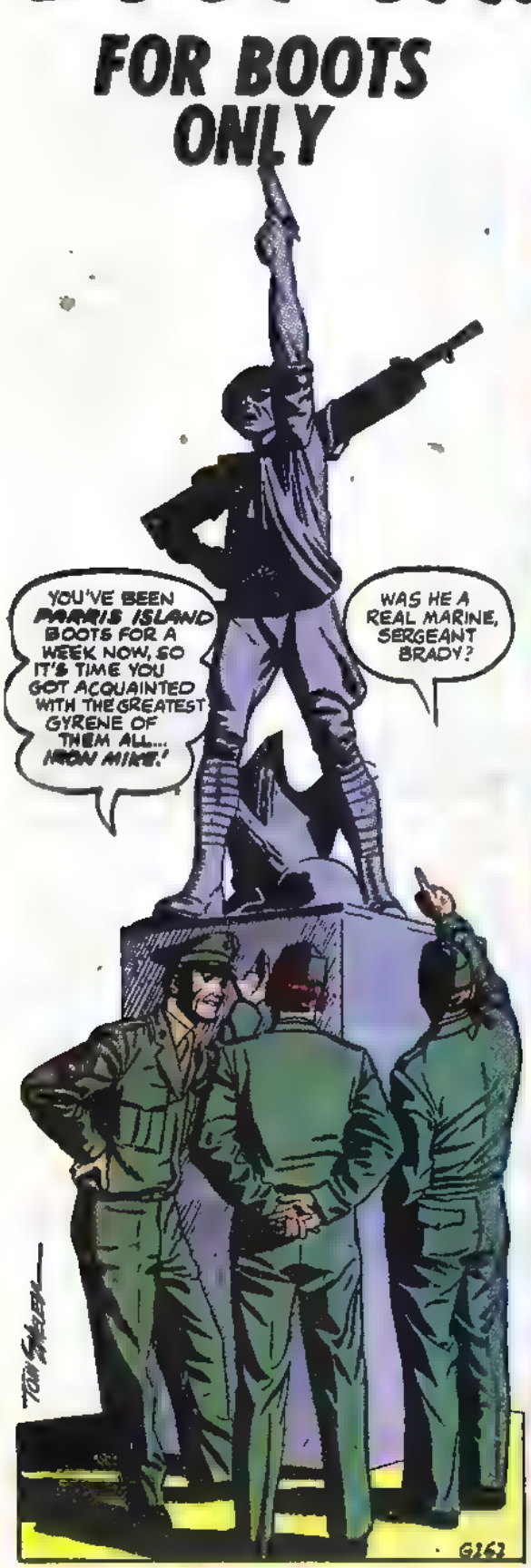
YOU'VE BEEN PARRIS ISLAND BOOTS FOR A WEEK NOW, SO IT'S TIME YOU GOT ACQUAINTED WITH THE GREATEST GYRENE OF THEM ALL... IRON MIKE!
WAS HE A REAL MARINE, SERGEANT BRADY?
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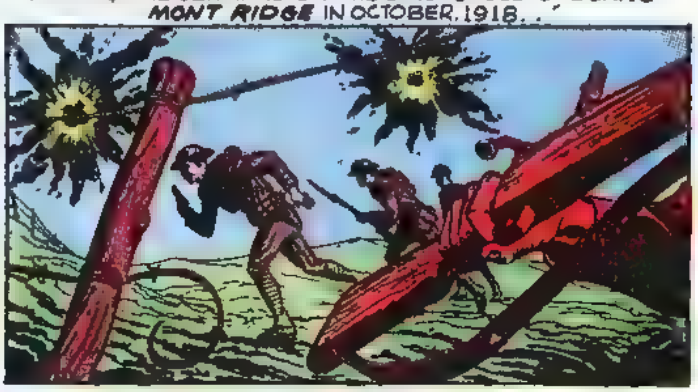
IRON MIKE WASN'T ANY ONE PARTICULAR MARINE, BOOTS... HE'S ALL THE LEATHERNECKS WHO FOUGHT AND MADE GYRENE HISTORY IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR!

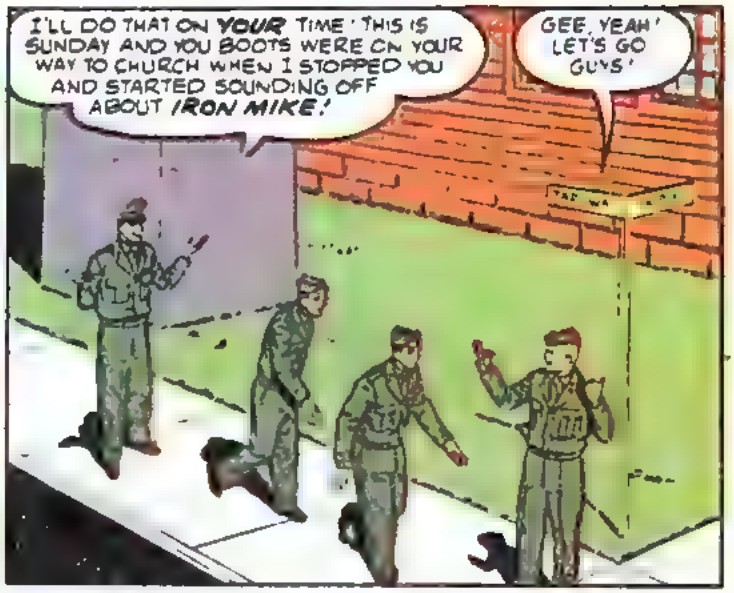
"IT WAS THE MARINE FOURTH BRIGADE THAT FLUSHED THE BOCHE OUT OF BELLEAU WOOD IN JUNE, 1918..."

"AND TIN-HATTED GYRENES DID THE IMPOSSIBLE WHEN THEY KNOCKED THE GERMANS OFF THE STRONGHOLD OF BLANC MONT RIDGE IN OCTOBER, 1918..."



"THE DEVIL-DOGS WERE ALSO IN THE GREATEST SCRAP OF THEM ALL... THE BATTLE OF THE ARGONNE FOREST..."

YES, IRON MIKE IS A LOT OF MARINES! HE'S THE PRIVATE FROM NEW YORK CITY THE SERGEANT FROM KALAMAZOO... AND THE MISTER FROM DALLAS!
AND HE'S REAL AS REAL AS THE DEVIL-DOGS WHO FOUGHT ALL THE BATTLES OF THE FIRST WORLD WAR AND WHOSE FIGHTING SPIRIT HE'S A SYMBOL OF!
I KNOW THAT'S THE WAR THE MARINES GOT THAT NAME DEVIL-DOGS, SERGEANT! BUT WHO WAS THE GYRENE WHO THOUGHT UP THE NAME?
IT WASN'T A GYRENE! THE NAME DEVIL-DOGS WAS GIVEN TO THE MARINES BY THE GERMANS!
HUH?
YEP, IT HAPPENED AT THE BATTLE OF BELLEAU WOOD! THE BOCHE WERE PREPARING FOR A BIG PUSH AND THEY MADE BELLEAU WOOD THEIR IMPREGNABLE FORTRESS! BUT THE MARINES BEAT THEM TO THE KICK-OFF AND ATTACKED FIRST...
OBSERVE! THE NEW AMERICAN SOLDIERS, CALLED MARINES ADVANCE TOWARD US!
LET THEM COME! THIS WILL BE THEIR FIRST AND LAST BATTLE!
FIX BAYONETS, LEATHERNECKS!
"THE BOCHE LET GO WITH EVERYTHING THEY HAD IN THE BELLEAU WOOD FORT BUT THAT DIDN'T STOP THE MARINES AND WHEN THEY TANGLED WITH THE GERMANS IN HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT THE GERMANS COULD ONLY FIND ONE WORD FOR THE MARINES BRAND OF FIGHTING
TEUFEL-HUNDE! THEY FIGHT LIKE TEUFEL HUNDE!
AND IN EVERY GERMAN DISPATCH AFTER THAT BATTLE THE MARINES WERE REFERRED TO AS TEUFEL-HUNDS WHICH IN OUR LINGO MEANS DEVIL-DOGS!


I'LL DO THAT ON YOUR TIME! THIS IS SUNDAY AND YOU BOOTS WERE ON YOUR WAY TO CHURCH WHEN I STOPPED YOU AND STARTED SOUNDING OFF ABOUT IRON MIKE!
GEE, YEAH! LET'S GO GUYS!

THE MARINE CORPS CHANGES YOU FROM A CIVILIAN TO A MARINE...IT CHANGES YOUR CLOTHES YOUR HABITS AND YOUR APPEARANCE..BUT THE ONE THING IT DOES NOT CHANGE IS YOUR FREEDOM TO WORSHIP IN THE FAITH OF YOUR CHOICE! WHETHER YOU ARE A PROTESTANT A CATHOLIC, A JEW OR A MORMON THERE ARE SERVICES FOR YOUR FAITH IN THE CHAPELS ON THE POST...

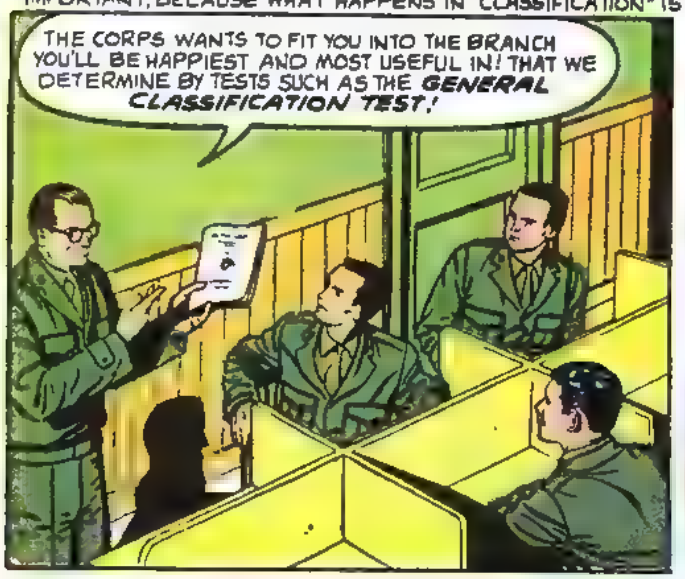
SUNDAY IS YOUR DAY IN BOOT CAMP AND YOU CAN SPEND IT IN THE SACK...

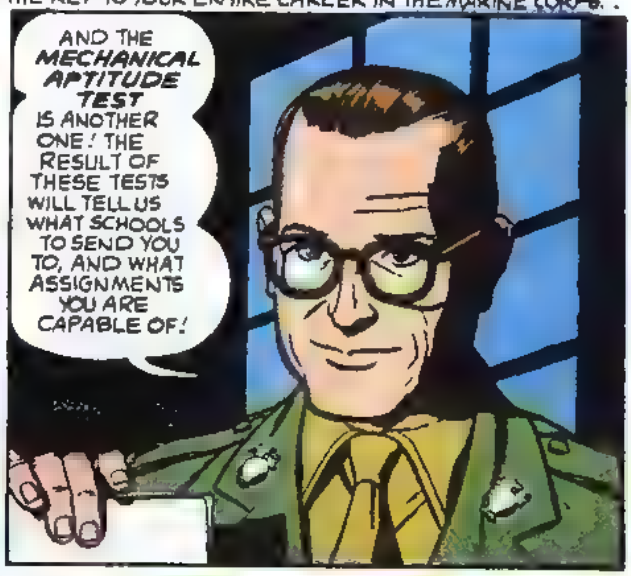
OR YOU CAN PLAY AT SOME SPORT ON THE BASE

OR YOU CAN GO TO THE MOVIES WITHOUT LEAVING THE POST..

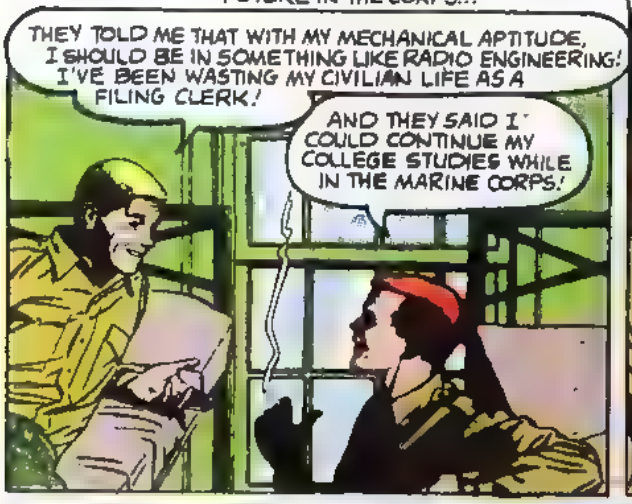
OR YOU CAN SPEND THE TIME IN THE RECREATION HALL, AND MAYBE WRITE A LETTER TO MOM AND DAD...OR THE GIRL FRIEND

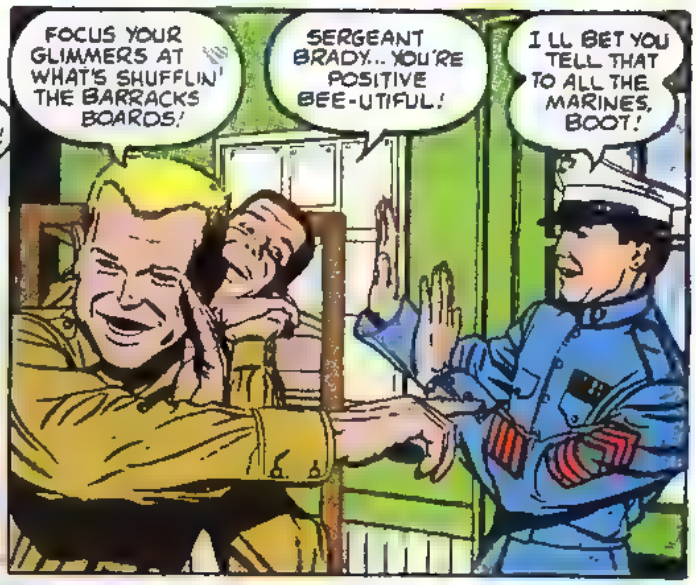
MONDAY COMES AFTER SUNDAY IN BOOT CAMP, TOO... THAT'S ANOTHER THING THE **CORPS** HASN'T CHANGED! YOU'RE STILL IN YOUR "FORMING DAYS" AND TODAY YOU GO THRU THE MOST IMPORTANT PHASE OF YOUR BOOT CAMP DAYS / MOST IMPORTANT, BECAUSE WHAT HAPPENS IN "CLASSIFICATION" IS THE KEY TO YOUR ENTIRE CAREER IN THE MARINE CORPS. .


THE CORPS WANTS TO FIT YOU INTO THE BRANCH YOU'LL BE HAPPIEST AND MOST USEFUL IN! THAT WE DETERMINE BY TESTS SUCH AS THE **GENERAL CLASSIFICATION TEST!**


AND THE **MECHANICAL APTITUDE TEST** IS ANOTHER ONE! THE RESULT OF THESE TESTS WILL TELL US WHAT SCHOOLS TO SEND YOU TO, AND WHAT ASSIGNMENTS YOU ARE CAPABLE OF!

YOU'LL SPEND ALL DAY AT CLASSIFICATION, AND AFTER THEY'RE THRU WITH YOU, YOU'LL REALIZE THAT THE MARINE CORPS IS VERY MUCH INTERESTED IN YOUR FUTURE IN THE CORPS...


THEY TOLD ME THAT WITH MY MECHANICAL APTITUDE, I SHOULD BE IN SOMETHING LIKE RADIO ENGINEERING! I'VE BEEN WASTING MY CIVILIAN LIFE AS A FILING CLERK!
AND THEY SAID I COULD CONTINUE MY COLLEGE STUDIES WHILE IN THE MARINE CORPS!


FOCUS YOUR GLIMMERS AT WHAT'S SHUFFLIN' THE BARRACKS BOARDS!
SERGEANT BRADY... YOU'RE POSITIVE BEE-UTIFUL!
I'LL BET YOU TELL THAT TO ALL THE MARINES, BOOT!

I'VE GOT AN OVERNIGHT PASS, BUT I COULDN'T LEAVE WITHOUT TUCKING YOU BOOTS IN!
HEY, SARGE! WHEN WILL WE GET A PAIR OF FANCY PANTS LIKE THAT... WITH A RED STRIPE DOWN THE SIDE?

WHEN YOU BECOME A NON-COM OR AN OFFICER, BECAUSE ENLISTED MENS' UNIFORMS DON'T HAVE THE RED STRIPE!
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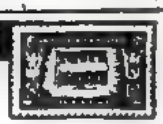

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yes," Creighton. "But we can't stop thinking of ways to signal passing Allied planes."

Blayne took out his closely folded flag and looked at it.

"Maybe if we tied this to a tree top . . ." he began.

"The tops of these trees wouldn't support your weight to get to the top," the British officer said. "Whatever method we use, it has to be something that will allow us to signal quickly and then remove the signal even more quickly."

Hagen suddenly jumped to his feet.

"Planes!" he cried, and peered up through a break in the trees.

A thudding roar had started far to the north. Moment by moment, it grew in volume. All three Allied soldiers stared at the patch of sky.

"Japs!" Blayne said. "Zeroes and Mitsubishis!"

A dozen enemy fighter planes soared in formation overhead.

"They're wary," Creighton said. "That means they've lost their cockiness. With their main front collapsing, they have fewer emergency fields on which to land. Looks like our side's got 'em on the run, chaps!"

"That doesn't get *us* out of here," Hagen observed.

"We'll get out," Creighton said. "You have to know your area, and I know this one."

"Well, sir," Hagen said. "If you'd only tell us what . . ."

"Can't," Creighton said. "I can't until I know what I'm doing, and to know what I'm doing, I've got to have something to work with." He stared up again. "More planes . . . ours, this time. Blenheims and B-25s! They're chasing the Japs!"

They stood there watching, as help, so near and yet so far off, passed overhead and disappeared. Blayne shrugged, carefully folded up his precious flag and put it away.

"Don't lose that," Creighton said. "We may have a chance to use it yet." And he smiled mysteriously.

Toward evening, they spotted a small Jap camp in a valley as they descended a rise. Skirting it, they climbed the further side of the valley. In the morning, Creighton took bearings.

"Fifty miles, according to my reckoning," he announced.

"That makes two hundred

and fifty more to go," Blayne said. He looked down at his army brogans and grinned. "If *they* can hold out, so can I."

At noon they stopped again to gather food. In the meantime, Hagen had fixed the burp-gun. They now had some protection, but only six bullets worth.

Creighton and Hagen came back with their roots and tubers and waited for Blayne. When he didn't show up, they became uneasy. Creighton was about to rise, when the American burst through the trees.

"Come on!" he yelled, "I've found a Jap supply cache!"

They followed him into the forest. About a thousand yards to the north, they came upon a supply cache hidden under a ledge of rock and covered with a tarpaulin. Under it was a large supply of food, but no weapons. Blayne and Hagen glanced at Creighton. The British officer smiled. "I'll take that flag of yours now," he said to Blayne.

The American handed over the flag, but shook his head dolefully. "Nothing but food here, sir . . . and canvas."

"That so?" Creighton said, digging into the pile of boxes. "Yes, that's all there is . . . food . . . for Japanese bodies . . . and their minds, too."

Creighton looked up, chuckling. "I told you I knew this area. When the Japs plant food caches, they also put in all kinds of their own religious paraphernalia. In this case, these caches always include sacred kites . . . an old Oriental custom." In a few moments, he'd dug a big elaborate kite and string out of a box, tied the American flag to it and led the way to a comparatively open space. The breeze took it aloft, just as the thunder of planes roared down again from the north. They held their breaths, wondering if the craft would be enemy or friendly.

Just above the tree tops, the big kite danced in the breeze, the flag waving beneath it. The first of the planes came into view.

"B-25s!" Creighton yelled. "Our boys. And look! They've spotted us. They're waggling their wings. That means they'll send a 'copter to pick us up!" He began drawing in the kite string, glancing at Hagen and Blayne, and all three men broke out in hearty grins.

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SIR, THE NEW MEN HAVE COME UP!
WELL, WHAT ARE THEY WAITING FOR? BRING THEM IN...WE NEED EVERY MAN WE CAN GET!
CAPTAIN ALLAN MOSEBY WAS A SOUR-FACED MAN! HE WAS AS TOUGH AS THEY CAME...
GET THAT MACHINE GUN UP THERE TO COVER THE RIGHT FLANK! GET GOING!
USMC
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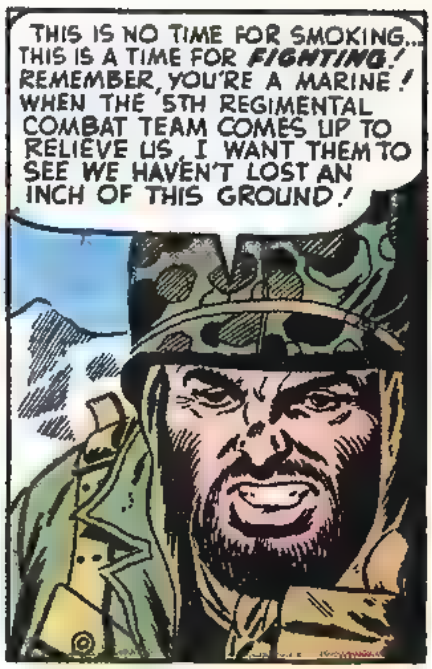
PRIVATE ARNOLD CULLEN, AN ENLISTED MAN, HAD JUST COME UP WITH THE NEW MEN...
YOU THERE... USE THAT GUN! THINK IT'S AN ORNAMENT?

THE CAPTAIN RODE THEM! HE NEVER ALLOWED THEM A MOMENT TO RELAX, ALWAYS PUSHING...
PUT OUT THAT SMOKE, CULLEN! YOU TRYING TO GET US IN TROUBLE BY MARKING YOUR POSITION WITH SMOKE?


THIS IS NO TIME FOR SMOKING... THIS IS A TIME FOR FIGHTING! REMEMBER, YOU'RE A MARINE! WHEN THE 5TH REGIMENTAL COMBAT TEAM COMES UP TO RELIEVE US, I WANT THEM TO SEE WE HAVEN'T LOST AN INCH OF THIS GROUND!

BOYCE, COME HERE, ON THE DOUBLE!

BOYCE, IT'S TOO QUIET ON THE FLANK! TAKE THESE MEN OUT THERE AND SCOUT AROUND! SEE WHAT THE REDS ARE UP TO!
YES, SIR!

WEARY, THEIR NERVES STRETCHED TO THE BREAKING POINT, THEY GLARED AT THE CAPTAIN, AND HE SMILED SOURLY BACK AT THEM...
CULLEN, SCHWARTZ, CASTRO, DENKIN... A NICE FOURSOME FOR YOU, BOYCE! THEY SEEM TO HAVE TIME ON THEIR HANDS... GIVE 'EM SOME EXERCISE, BOYCE!
YES, SIR!

THE MARINES RUSHED TO THE RIGHT...
WHAT MAKES THE CAPTAIN SO TOUGH?
WHO KNOWS? GUESS IT MAKES HIM FEEL GOOD TO KEEP US ON THE MOVE!
2

THEY HIT A GULLY IN THE TREES AND SCRAMBLED INTO IT...
THIS RUNS ACROSS THE RIGHT FLANK! WE CAN FOLLOW IT DOWN WITHOUT EXPOSING OURSELVES!
THE REDS HAVE FALLEN BACK FROM HERE! PROBABLY TO CONSOLIDATE SOME OTHER PLACE! LET'S HAVE A SMOKE BEFORE WE HEAD BACK AND REPORT!
SAY, I JUST REMEMBER... I'VE HEARD YOUR NAME BEFORE, BOYCE! YOU'RE ONE OF THE OLD-TIME GYRENES! BEEN A SERGEANT AND BUSTED FOUR OR FIVE TIMES! I'LL BET THE CAPTAIN HAD A HAND IN BREAKING YOU!
MAYBE HE DID!
BUT LAY OFF THE CAPTAIN, CULLEN! SURE HE'S BUSTED ME, BUT IT WAS MY OWN FAULT!
I'M GOING TO TAKE TIME TO TELL YOU A LITTLE STORY THAT MIGHT SET YOU STRAIGHT ABOUT A COUPLE OF THINGS...
IT WAS BEFORE YOU CAME UP, CULLEN! WE WERE FACING HEAVY ODDS...
LOOK AT THAT, BOYCE! OUR TANKS ARE TOO LIGHT... THEY CAN'T STAND AGAINST THOSE NEW HEAVY TANKS THE REDS ARE BEING SUPPLIED WITH!
I KNOW! I'VE BEEN WATCHING THEM FALL BACK ALL DAY!
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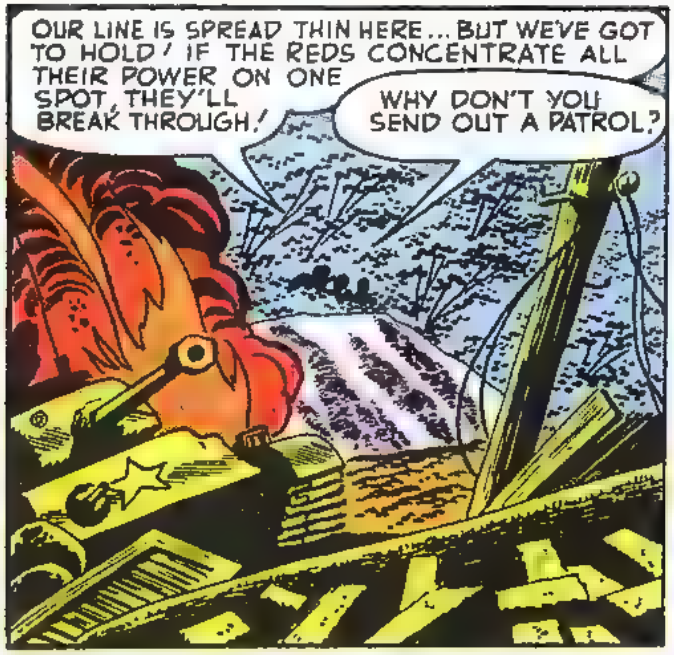
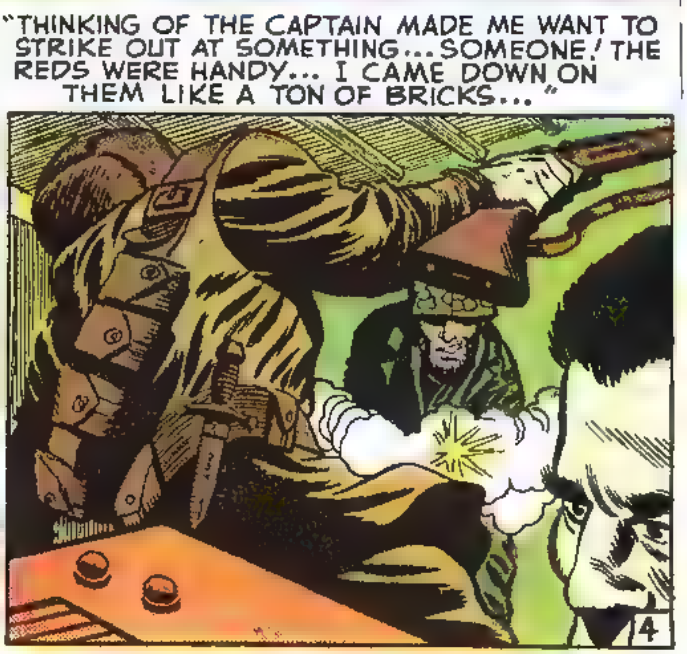

OUR LINE IS SPREAD THIN HERE... BUT WE'VE GOT TO HOLD! IF THE REDS CONCENTRATE ALL THEIR POWER ON ONE SPOT, THEY'LL BREAK THROUGH!
WHY DON'T YOU SEND OUT A PATROL?

THEY'D SEE A PATROL AND STOP IT! MAYBE ONE MAN COULD GET THROUGH AND FIND OUT! I'VE GOT YOU PICKED FOR THE JOB, BEN!
O.K., CAPTAIN! HERE I GO!
"I CRAWLED THROUGH THE NIGHT MADE BRIGHT BY CONSTANT BURSTS OF SHELLFIRE..."

"THE REDS WERE SWARMING OUT THERE... COMING IN FROM ALL SIDES! THIS WAS WHERE THEY WERE CONCENTRATING, AS THE CAPTAIN HAD FIGURED..."

"I WAS MAD AT THE CAPTAIN FOR SENDING ME OUT ALONE! I BEGAN CIRCLING INSTEAD OF HEADING BACK TO REPORT LIKE I SHOULD HAVE..."

COMMUNICATIONS CENTER! IF I KNOCK THIS OFF, THE REDS WON'T BE ABLE TO KEEP IN CONTACT!


"THINKING OF THE CAPTAIN MADE ME WANT TO STRIKE OUT AT SOMETHING... SOMEONE! THE REDS WERE HANDY... I CAME DOWN ON THEM LIKE A TON OF BRICKS..."
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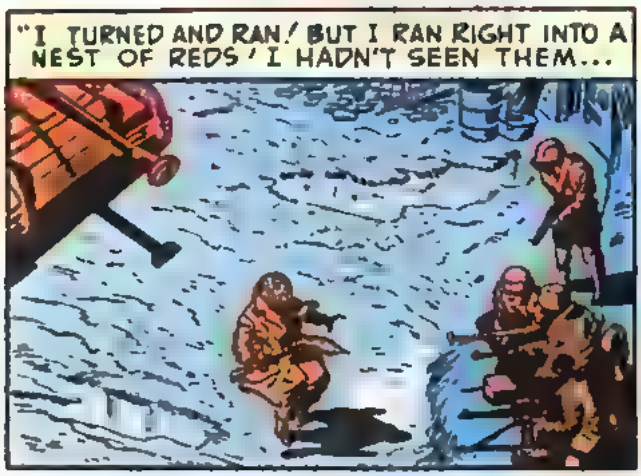
"I KNOCKED OUT THOSE TWO REDS WITHOUT TOO MUCH TROUBLE!"

"THEN THE GROUND NEXT TO ME SEEMED TO EXPLODE! I TURNED! IT WAS ONE OF THOSE BIG SOVIET TANKS COMING AT ME WITH THAT SLOWNESS, LIKE SOME METAL MONSTER..."


"I TURNED AND RAN! BUT I RAN RIGHT INTO A NEST OF REDS! I HADN'T SEEN THEM...

"MY HEAD WAS SPINNING! I GRITTED MY TEETH, TRYING TO GET MY RIFLE UP! THE REDS GRINNED! THEY SIGNALED THE TANK TO LEAVE ME TO THEM! THEY TOOK THEIR TIME..."
WHAT A SPOT TO BE IN!

BAM
BLAM!

"I DIDN'T BELIEVE IT! THINGS WERE GETTING MIXED UP IN MY MIND ABOUT THEN! I STARTED TO SAG! THEN I HEARD A FAMILAR VOICE..."
STAND UP, BOYCE! GET HOLD OF YOURSELF! WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE!
CAPTAIN! WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?
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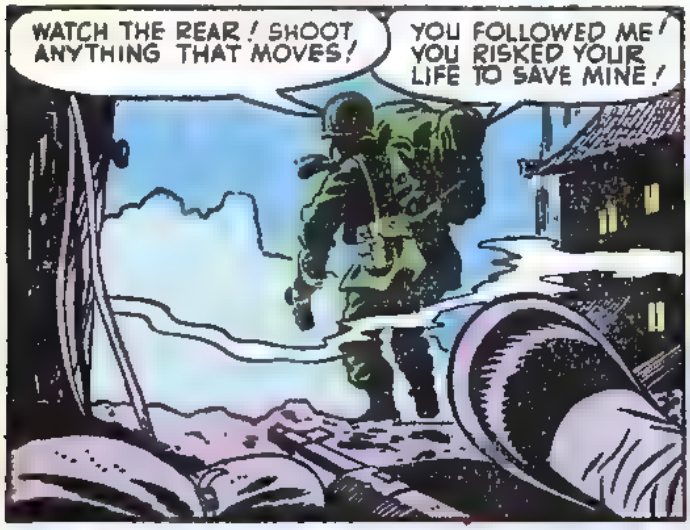
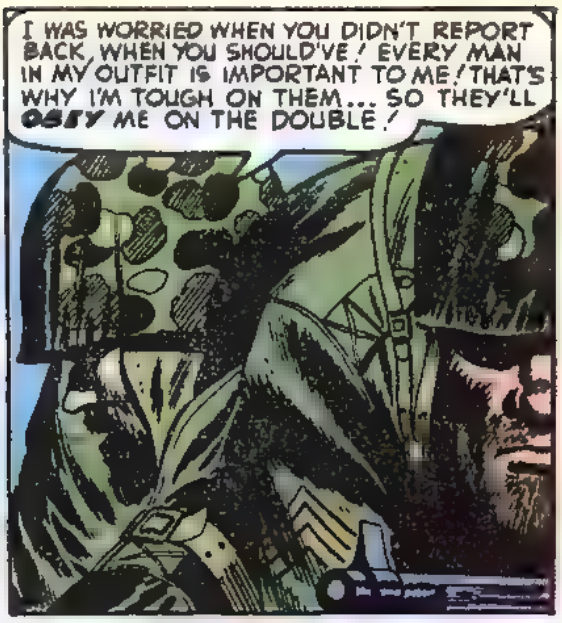
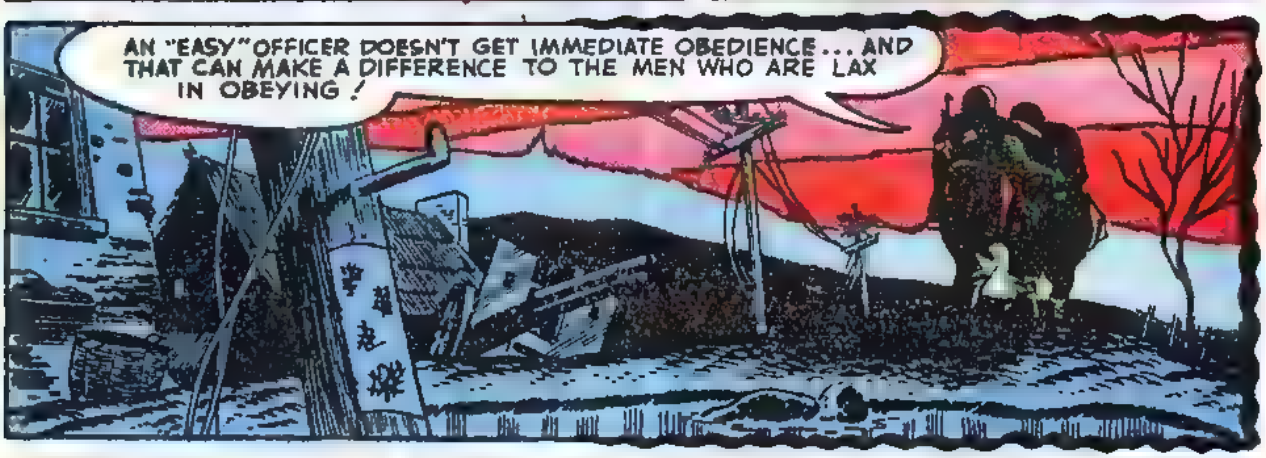
"HE KNOCKED THOSE REDS OVER! MY LEGS COULDN'T MOVE FAST ENOUGH TO GET US OUT OF THERE BEFORE THAT TANK TURNED AGAIN, SO HE THREW ME OVER HIS SHOULDERS..."




I WAS WORRIED WHEN YOU DIDN'T REPORT BACK, WHEN YOU SHOULD'VE! EVERY MAN IN MY OUTFIT IS IMPORTANT TO ME! THAT'S WHY I'M TOUGH ON THEM... SO THEY'LL OBEY ME ON THE DOUBLE!



THAT'S THE STORY! LET'S GET BACK AND REPORT! OH, YEAH... WHEN THE CAPTAIN GOT ME BACK TO OUR OWN LINES, HE RECOMMENDED ME FOR A CITATION FOR SMASHING THE REDS' COMMUNICATION CENTER ...THEN HE BROKE ME TO A PRIVATE FOR NOT OBEYING ORDERS!

THEY REACHED THEIR OWN LINES AGAIN / CAPTAIN MOSEBY WAS WAITING FOR THEIR REPORT...

...AND THEY'VE PULLED OUT!
ALL RIGHT! NOW LISTEN... THE 5TH IS MOVING IN, AND WE'RE PULLING OUT! SURE, IT'S BEEN TOUGH ...YOU'RE TIRED! BUT I WANT EVERY MAN IN THIS OUTFIT TO MARCH OUT WITH HIS HEAD UP, AND IN FULL EQUIPMENT!

THEY WATCHED HIM AS HE MOVED AWAY! AND THEY REALIZED THAT ANY MARINE WORTHY OF THE NAME COULD CERTAINLY RESPECT CAPTAIN MOSEBY!

WHAT A GUY! I'M GLAD I'M IN HIS OUTFIT!
YEAH! MAKES YOU FEEL HE HAS THE GOOD OF HIS MEN AT HEART! MAKES YOU PROUD TO BELONG TO A CORPS THAT HAS MEN LIKE CAPTAIN MOSEBY IN IT!

ATLAS FOR THE BEST IN WAR TALES LOOK FOR THE ATLAS SEAL ON THE COVER! ATLAS

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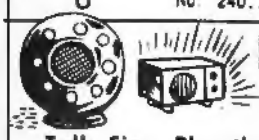

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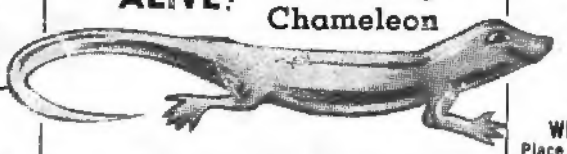

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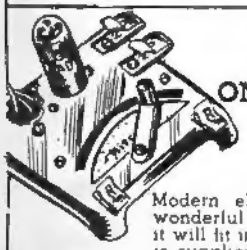

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